**MAGGIE E. WHITE**

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**EDUCATION**

**Drake University Law School**   **Des Moines, IA**

*Juris Doctor, High Honors*          *May 2013*

**GPA:** 3.54 / 4.00

**Class Rank:** 22 / 140 (Top 15%)

**Honors:** Dwight D. Opperman Scholar - Merit based, full tuition scholarship/stipend; Dean’s List

**Law Review:** *Drake Law Review*:  Projects Editor (2012–2013); Junior Staff (2011–2012)

**Moot Court:** ABA Client Counseling Competition; C. Edwin Moore Oral Argument Competition

**Inn of Court:** C. Edwin Moore American Inn of Court – Student Member

**Activities:** Delta Theta Phi; Student Ambassador; National Association of Consumer Advocates; Drake Law Women; Drake Law Democrats; Polk County Women Attorneys

**Awards:** CALI Excellence for the Future Award for top grade in Wills & Trusts (Spring 2013);

Morris A. Haft Award for outstanding contribution to the success of the *Drake Law Review*

**Teaching Assistant:** Teaching Assistant for Integrated Study Groups (2011–2012)

**Drake University**  **Des Moines, IA**

*Bachelor of Arts, Law Politics and Society; Minor:  Psychology, summa cum laude*         *May 2006*

**GPA:** 3.90 / 4.00

**Honors:** President’s List, Dean’s List; Trustee Scholar; Presidential Scholar; Omicron Delta Kappa

**Volunteer:** Reachout Crisis Helpline; BACCHUS (alcohol awareness); Best Buddies

**Activities:** Law, Politics, and Society Advisory Board; Student Senate; Drake Democrats; Student Activities Board Elections and PR; Adam’s Academy Leadership Institute

**PROFESSIONAL LICENSURE**

State of IowaSeptember 2013

United States District Court – Northern District & Southern District of Iowa 2013

United States Court of Appeals for the Eighth Circuit 2013

**EXPERIENCE**

**EMC Insurance Companies Des Moines, IA**

*Staff Attorney December 2016 – Present*

* Provide in-house legal counsel in the areas of employment and corporate law

**Babich Goldman, P.C. Des Moines, IA**

*Associate Attorney April 2015 – December 2016*

* Engaged in all aspects of civil rights and employment-related litigation and family law proceedings
* Handled cases from intake through completion, including client meetings, settlement negotiations, and trial
* Took and defended depositions; prepared clients to be deposed
* Drafted legal and court documents, discovery requests and responses, and motions and supporting briefs

**LeGrant Law Firm, P.C. Urbandale, IA**

*Associate Attorney September 2013 – March 2015*

* Engaged in all aspects of civil rights and employment-related litigation
* Handled cases from intake through completion, including client meetings, settlement negotiations, and trial
* Argued motions and appeals to the Eighth Circuit Court of Appeals and Iowa judges
* Took and defended depositions; prepared clients to be deposed
* Drafted legal and court documents, discovery requests and responses, and motions and supporting briefs

*Law Clerk September 2012 – September 2013*

* Researched and analyzed various employment law issues, providing summaries for use in documents and hearings
* Drafted numerous legal documents, including discovery requests and responses, motions and briefs

**Dickinson, Mackaman, Tyler & Hagen, P.C. Des Moines, IA**

*Summer Associate May 2012 – August 2012*

* Researched corporate, employment, tax, real estate, and intellectual property law issues
* Drafted petitions, contracts, and other legal documents; drafted articles and blog posts on current legal issues

**LaMarca & Landry, P.C. Des Moines, IA**

*Law Clerk March 2011 – April 2012*

* Drafted petitions, demand letters, motions, and trial briefs; interviewed clients and witnesses
* Researched personal injury law, medical malpractice, and business litigation issues

**Drake University Law School Des Moines, IA**

*Research Assistant to Professor Laurie Kratky Doré June 2011 – May 2013*

* Briefed cases regarding Federal and Iowa Rules of Evidence; edited text for *Evidence: Iowa Practice Series*

**Canterbury Schools           Overland Park, KS**

*Administrator; Lead Preschool Teacher August 2006 –July 2010*

* Co-managed staff of 15 employees; managed school operations in Director’s absence

**American Judicature Society   Des Moines, IA**

*Intern to Research Fellow* *January 2005 – May 2006*

**ADDITIONAL INFORMATION**

**AWARDS:** Super Lawyers, Great Plains Rising Star (2015 and 2016)

**PRESENTATIONS:** *The Ethics of E-mail*—presentation for the Drake General Practice Review (2016); *The Ethics of E-mail*—presentation for the National Business Institute (2015); *Discrimination in the Workplace*—Iowa State Bar Association panelist (2015); *The Numerosity Requirement for Employers Under the Iowa Civil Rights Act*—presentation to National Employment Lawyers Association, Iowa Chapter (2014); *Case Law Update*—presentation to National Employment Lawyers Association, Iowa Chapter (2013)

**COMMUNITY** C. Edwin Moore American Inn of Court—Pupil (2016 to present); Polk County Women

**INVOLVEMENT:** Attorneys Board of Directors—*Drake Law Women Liaison* (2016), *Basket Auction Co-Chair* (2015); Iowa State Bar Association—Board of Governors (2016–present), Scope and Correlation Committee (2016–present), Fair and Impartial Courts Committee (2016–present); Iowa State Bar Association Young Lawyers Division—*Secretary* (2016–present), *District 5C Representative* (2015–2016), Diversity Committee—*Law Student Relations Chair* (2014–present), Professional Development Committee (2015–present); Polk County Juvenile Drug Court Advisory Board—*Treasurer* (2015–present); National Employment Lawyers Association, Iowa Chapter (2013–present); Junior League of Des Moines (2013–present), Board of Directors (2016–present); Friends of Planned Parenthood (2015–present); Iowa Association for Justice Amicus Committee (2015–present); Polk County Bar Association Bench and Bar Golf Committee Chair (2016); Iowa Organization of Women Attorneys (2013–present); Latina Leadership Initiative—*Governance Committee* (2016–present)